

Exhibit B

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA
AT CHARLESTON**

IN RE: ETHICON, INC., PELVIC REPAIR SYSTEM PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION <hr/> THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO ALL CASES	Master File No. 2:12-MD-02327 MDL No. 2327 JOSEPH R. GOODWIN U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE
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**[DEFENDANTS' PROPOSED] ORDER AMENDING AND CLARIFYING
PRE TRIAL ORDERS GOVERNING WAVE DISCOVERY**

Pending before the Court is Defendants' Motion for an Order Amending and Clarifying Pre Trial Orders Governing Wave Discovery. For reasons appearing to the Court, it is hereby ORDERED that:

Unless prohibited by applicable substantive state law, the parties may by agreement compensate treating physician witnesses who provide testimony in this MDL—including those in the State of West Virginia—at a reasonable rate.

For purposes of this litigation only, the reimbursement rate of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) per hour for a physician's time spent giving a deposition is recognized as reasonable *per se*.

This ____ day of August, 2017.

**JOSEPH R. GOODWIN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**